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SUBJECT: INVITATION TO KING HAMAD TO G-8 SUMMIT IN GEORGIA

REF: FORD-ABRAMS TELECON MAY 10

Classified By: Robert S. Ford, Charge d'Affaires. Reason 1.4 (B)(D).

1. (C) Bahraini Minister of State for Foreign Affairs Dr. Mohammed Abdul Ghaffar called Charge evening of May 10 to say King Hamad accepts invitation to lunch at G-8 in Georgia June 10 (reftelcon).

2. (C) Please advise logistical details to be passed to the King's office and the Foreign Ministry.

3. (C) Comment. King Hamad was very happy to receive this invitation to the G-8.

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